

Public Input and Comments: James Garner Ave Extension, Central & East Branch Libraries, and Senior Citizens Center

NORMAN FORWARD

NORMAN FORWARD is a proposed citizen-based quality of life initiative to create and fund multiple recreational, library, parks, athletic venues, Expo Center and other quality of life projects in Norman. The City of Norman is holding a series of City Council Work Sessions regarding “NORMAN FORWARD”, which is focused on receiving citizen input regarding some potential projects that could be developed in our community. The City Council desires additional citizen feedback on items related to NORMAN FORWARD. Following Council work sessions, an opportunity to give feedback based on issues that were discussed at work sessions will be available on this website. The following web survey should take a few minutes to complete and your feedback is appreciated.

The input from the work sessions, the feedback we receive from these short web surveys and the input from the future formal public meetings will be used as the basis for a statistically valid random sampling survey which will be administered in the Norman community in Summer 2015. Thank you for your time.

Email Address: *

First Name (optional):

Last Name (optional):

Home Phone (optional):

Home Address (optional):

* required

On a scale of 5 to 1 with 5 being very likely and 1 being very not likely please indicate your support for each of the following projects.

Potential Library Projects

In November 2014, the City of Norman updated the Norman Public Library Master Plan. The plan update recommended a smaller central branch library due in part to the recent addition of the west library branch, which now provides space for administrative offices, library IT support and processing that will not be needed in new library branches. The plan also recommended the addition of an east branch library to serve citizens throughout Norman and complete the library system. Knowing this information, please indicate your level of support for the following projects:

- | 1. How likely would you be to support:: | Very
Likely(5) | Likely(4) | Not
Sure(3) | Not
Likely(2) | Very Not
Likely(1) |
|---|-------------------|-----------|----------------|------------------|-----------------------|
| (A)
Constructi
on of an
East
Library
Branch | | | | | |
| (B)
Constructi
on of a
parking
garage
(an option
increasing
the
project
cost by
\$8.95 Mil)
at the
proposed
Central
Library | | | | | |
| (C)
Building
the
central
and east
library
branches
in
separate
project
phases | | | | | |

Potential James Garner Avenue Extension

The City of Norman Comprehensive Transportation Plan envisions a street construction project that extends James Garner Avenue (formerly known as Front Street) north from Acres Street, over the Robinson Street railroad underpass to connect into Flood Avenue (see attached map). Knowing that, please indicate your level of support for the following projects:

2. How likely would you be to support::	Very Likely(5)	Likely(4)	Not Sure(3)	Not Likely(2)	Very Not Likely(1)
(A) Designing the extension to Acres Street with a boulevard design (one lane in both directions with a landscape d median)					
(B) Designing the extension to Acres Street with a standard configurat ion (one lane in both directions with a dedicated center turn lane)					

3. The City is considering extending James Garner Avenue farther south to Main Street. How likely would you be to support extending James Garner Avenue farther south to Main Street if it had the type of design you would very likely or likely Support?: Very Likely(5)
 Somewhat Likely(4)
 Not Sure(3)
 Not Likely(2)

Very Not Likely(1)

4. The City is also considering extending James Garner Avenue farther south to Eufaula Street. How likely would you be to support extending James Avenue farther south to Eufaula Street if it had the type of design you would very likely or likely support?: Very Likely(5)

Somewhat Likely(4)

Not Sure(3)

Not Likely(2)

Very Not Likely(1)

Potential Senior Citizens Center Projects

Previously, the City of Norman anticipated relocating the current Senior Citizens Center into the existing Central Library location, if and when, a new Central Library was constructed. Knowing that, please indicate your level of support for the following projects:

5. How likely would you be to support::	Very Likely(5)	Likely(4)	Not Sure(3)	Not Likely(2)	Very Not Likely(1)
(A)					
Renovating a portion of the existing Central Library into a Senior Center if a new Central Library was built					
(B)					
Construction of a free standing Senior Citizens Center at a new site					

6. From the following list of options please check the TWO (2) options you would most support with additional tax funding::

Designing a James Garner Avenue Extension to Acres Street with a boulevard design (one lane in both directions with a landscaped median)

Construction of a free standing Senior Citizens Center at a new site

Renovating a portion of the existing Central Library into a Senior Center if a new Central Library was built
Construction of an East Library Branch
Designing a James Garner Avenue Extension to Acres Street with a standard configuration (one lane in both directions with a dedicated center turn lane)
Construction of a parking garage adjacent to the proposed Central Library
Designing a James Garner Avenue Extension further south to Main Street if it had the type of design that you could very likely or likely support
Designing a James Garner Avenue Extension further south to Eufaula Street if it had the type of design that you could very likely or likely support

What do you like and dislike about the proposed library plans?:
What do you like and dislike about the proposed senior citizen plans?:
Other Comments: